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## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) and 37 CFR 1.53(b) is a new utility patent application for an invention entitled:

### OPHTHALMIC LENSES AND COMPOSITIONS, AND METHODS FOR PRODUCING SAME

and invented by:

SULC ET AL

If a CONTINUATION APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

[X] Continuation [ ] Divisional [ ] Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.:

10/015,460, FILED DECEMBER 13, 2001,  
which is a divisional of 09/551,297, FILED APRIL 18, 2000, now U.S. Patent 6,372,815

#### Enclosed are Application Elements:

- [X] Filing Fee
- [X] Specification having 33 page(s) and including the following:
  - [X] Title of the Invention
  - [X] Cross References to Related Applications (*if applicable*) (Shown in the Preliminary Amendment)
  - [X] Background of the Invention
  - [X] Brief Summary of the Invention
  - [ ] Description of the Drawings
  - [X] Detailed Description
  - [X] Claim(s) as Classified Below
  - [X] Abstract of the Disclosure
- [ ] Sheet of Drawings(s) (37 CFR 113) [ ] Formal [ ] Informal
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  - [X] Copy from prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (*for continuation/divisional application only*)
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  - [X] Copy from prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (*for continuation/divisional application only*)
- [X] Incorporation By Reference -- The entire disclosure of the prior application from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under the above entry, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
- [ ] Computer Program in Microfiche (*Appendix*)

#### Accompanying Application Parts

- [X] Assignment Papers (cover sheets & documents(s))
- [X] The prior application Assignments.
  - [X] Copy from prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (*for continuation/divisional application only*)
- [ ] 37 CFR 3.73(B) Statement (*when there is an assignee*)

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- English Translation Document (*if applicable*)  
 Information Disclosure Statement/PTO-1449  
 Preliminary Amendment  
 Acknowledgment postcard  
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 APPLICATION DATA SHEET

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Copies of \_ IDS Cited Reference(s)

**Fee Calculation and Transmittal**

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Total Claims	29	- 20 =	9	X \$18.00	\$ 162.00
Independent Claims	2	- 3 =	0	X \$84.00	\$ 0.00
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				BASIC FEE	\$750.00
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Dated: Submitted herewith	)	(Prior: Asinovsky, O.)
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For: OPHTHALMIC LENSES AND	)	
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4. Copy of Application and Declaration;
5. Declaration Under MPEP § 608.01(p);
6. Copy of Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet and Assignment; and
7. Information Disclosure Statement and PTO 1449.

The 7 above-identified documents are enclosed herewith.

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